

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF IOWA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	
)	Criminal No. 4:13-cr-00088
v.)	
)	
SEAN MICHAEL WARD,)	
)	
Defendant.)	

UNITED STATES' RESPONSE TO CLAIM

The United States responds to the claim filed by Berniece Coe and Crystal Coe-Benedict, stating as follows:

1. A Preliminary Order of Forfeiture was entered forfeiting the following property:
RG Industries, model RG14, .22 caliber revolver. (Doc. #43).
2. A claim to the property was filed by Berniece Coe and Crystal Coe Benedict in which they state that this property belongs to them and that it had been stolen from them. (Doc. #58).
3. The United States has no objection to returning the RG Industries, model RG14, .22 caliber revolver to them when this criminal case is completed, including any appeals.

Respectfully Submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on September 15, 2014, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of Court using the CM/ECF system. I hereby certify that a copy of this document was served on the parties or attorneys of record by:

 X U.S. Mail Fax Hand Delivery X ECF/Electronic filing Other means

Berniece Coe
Crystal Coe-Benedict

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